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| Trans  | mitted i    | herewith for filing is the patent application of  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|        | Invent      | ors: Peter Brandt   |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|        | For:        | IMPLEMENTATION OF A COLUMN INTERLEAVING FUNCTION WITH A LIMITED AMOUNT OF COLUMNS   |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Enclo  | sed are     | e:<br>Specification (8 pps.) consisting of: Description (5pps); Claims (2 pps); Abstract (1 pp);  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|        | XXX         | _4_ (four) sheets of drawings;  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|        | XXX/        | XXX / Preliminary Amendment;  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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|        |             | Information Disclosure Statement (with copies of patent);   |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|        |             | Form - PTO-1449;  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|        |             | The undersigned attorney has verified that the applicant is entitled to a Small Entity Status; and  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|        |             | Priority ofPatent Application Serial Nofiled onis claimed under 35 U.S.C. §119.   |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|        |             | Priority document, European Patent Application Serial No is enclosed.   |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|        | <del></del> | Priority of U.S. Provisional Patent Application Serial No, filed on is claimed under 35 U.S.C. §119(e).   |  |  |  |  |  |  |

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